

3. VCC CONFIGURATION

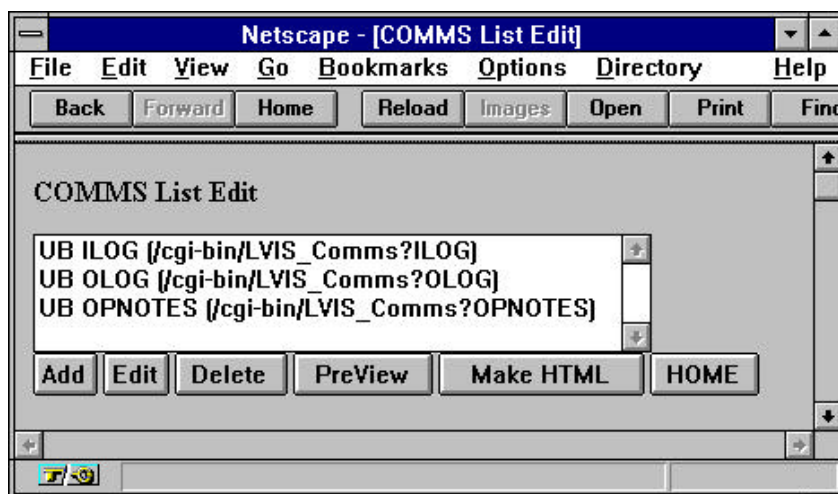
The Virtual Command Center (VCC) can be configured by the system administrator to “publish” information. Any user logged in as sysadmin can configure the VCC. The sysadmin-controlled hot links are:

- The four wall charts
- The system maps (available to users when clicking on the globe or clicking on the **CUSTOM MAPS** option in the tactical tool bar)
- The **CMD INFO** (book) hotlink and the **[OPS]** button, **[WX]** button, **[INTEL]** button, and **[COMMS]** button, located in the VCC.

A wall chart is configured by clicking on it, making the desired changes (e.g., changing the geographic display, plot controls, active overlays), and then pressing the **[EXIT]** button on the tactical toolbar. This automatically configures the wall chart and makes the associated thumb nail for the VCC. Note that tracks are not displayed during this configuration process; in this way, the thumb nail only shows the geographic area of interest. The **[RELOAD]** button on the Netscape toolbar can be used to refresh the VCC image to reflect changes made to the wall charts (since the cache will still hold the previous VCC image).

Additional system custom maps can be saved by using the **SAVE SYSMAP** option by clicking on the **[CUSTOM MAPS]** button on the tactical toolbar or the globe in the VCC. These system maps will be available to users under the VCC's globe or the **[CUSTOM MAPS]** button on the tactical toolbar. Custom maps may be saved with the plot controls and the active overlays.

The **CMD INFO** hotlink and the **[OPS]**, **[WX]**, **[INTEL]**, and **[COMMS]** buttons allow the system administrator to specify a list of hyperlinks to other data sources. For example, when the **[COMMS]** button is selected, the following display appears:



The **Add** option allows the system administrator to add another entry, as follows:

Netscape - [COMMS List Entry Edit]

File Edit View Go Bookmarks Options Directory Help

Back Forward Home Reload Images Open Print Find Stop

COMMS List Entry Edit

Text:

URL:

Save Cancel

The **Edit** option allows the system administrator to edit an existing entry, as follows:

Netscape - [COMMS List Entry Edit]

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COMMS List Entry Edit

Text:

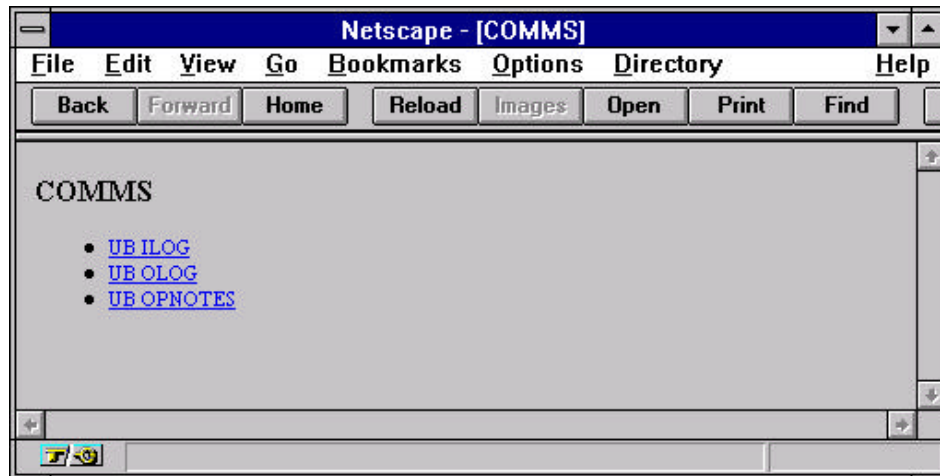
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URL:

/cgi-bin/IVIS_Comms?ILOG

Save Cancel

The **Delete** option removes an existing link. The **PreView** option allows the system administrator to review the presentation of the page before making the final HTML document, as follows:



Finally, the **Make HTML** option commits the changes to the associated [VCC] button. The **Home** option returns to the main system administration page.